

BIG SANDY NEWS

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LOUISA, LAWRENCE COUNTY, KENTUCKY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1912.

CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS.

The banks of Louisa have agreed to receive and forward campaign contributions to the various national committees. Woodrow Wilson is receiving thousands of popular subscriptions from one dollar up. Here is what he says about the proposition to collect subscriptions in this way:

Dear Mr. McAdoo:

To bring about the election of a President through a campaign financed by popular subscriptions, would be a distinct and gratifying triumph. It would strikingly evidence the renewed supremacy of the people and would mean the permanent emancipation of our government from those selfish influences which have too long been relied upon to furnish the campaign funds in return for favors to be bestowed. I am in hearty sympathy with every effort that may contribute to such a result. The idea back of the proposed popular subscriptions plan is thoroughly commendable and I hope that you and your associates will push it and make it an effective instrument for the attainment of so praiseworthy an object.

Cordially and sincerely yours,
WOODROW WILSON.

TO REFORM SCHOOL.

Lawrence County Contributes Two, of Assorted Colors.

The circuit court was in session six days last week, busy every day. The grand jury adjourned Saturday to resume work on the following Wednesday, and is now in session. It is a very "leaky" body and not very much could be learned of its doings. However, many indictments have been made and returned and the aggregate will probably be large.

Chester Ewing, colored, whose conviction for detaining a woman was noted in the NEWS last week, was sentenced and taken to the Reformatory School at Lexington Wednesday, there to remain until he is 21 years old, which will be in 1917. It is now the law that no person under the age of 21 years may be confined in the penitentiary.

Fess Jobe was put upon trial the other day for shooting Charles Adams the former jury having failed to agree. This time the jury found him guilty of a misdemeanor and sentenced him to pay a fine of two hundred and seventy-six dollars.

Mrs. James Hughes and a son by a former marriage were tried for assault with intent to kill, the victim being the wife of Sam Carter. The jury found Mrs. Hughes not guilty and charged and found the son guilty of assault and fined him \$100.

Case of Sol. Nunley vs. C. & O. railway for damages alleged to have been received, the jury awarded the plaintiff \$565. The case will be appealed.

Now seems probable that court will be in session next week.

John McKelvey, aged 17 years, was sent to the Reform School until he is 21 years of age. He was sent to Lexington Wednesday afternoon.

Highway was on Bell's Trace, and the case was committed in that neighborhood.

Tom Stale, who made Pless. Boogs dance to the music of the report of a revolver, planting one of its bullets in his foot, escaped with a fine of \$100 and costs. The charge had been reduced to a misdemeanor.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.

The meeting of the Teachers' Association at Gallup on Saturday August 31, was a most enjoyable occasion. It was held in the Odd Fellows hall, and convened immediately on the arrival of the morning train. The program as announced in the NEWS two weeks ago, was fully carried out except that certain songs were resigned owing to absence of two or three members. The singing was conducted by the Gallup choir, and two given by the children of the school.

the visitors feel welcome by a few well chosen and appropriate words, which were responded to by Prof. E. M. Kennison on behalf of the visitors.

The several addresses on the topics assigned were all good, and every teacher, if present, respected when called. It was quite an appointment that Mrs. Charles L. Wenner, of Louisville was not present to lead the discussion of the School Improvement League work. Many interesting things along this line were reported by the various teachers present, and helpful suggestions were made by the County Supervisors, Miss Emma Thompson and Mr. J. H. Ekers. One of the best and most helpful items of the program was a discussion of the topic: "When do I feel satisfied with a recitation?" by Prof. W. A. Byington, president of the National Normal College, in which he quoted from the International Commission on the Teaching of Mathematics, warning against the danger of making the curriculum of the grammar schools too much specialized. Another topic of interest, somewhat off from the routine work of the association was "Signs by which I measure my Mental Growth," discussed by Prof. E. M. Kennison.

About thirty teachers of this Association were present, and several visiting teachers. All questions and pupils from other places as well as a large number of citizens of Gallup helped to fill the hall with an attentive and interested audience. At noon, in the lower hall, the ladies of Gallup served a buffet luncheon, which was of great variety, plentiful abundance, delicious quality and heartily received.

The Association expressed its appreciation and thanks to the Odd Fellows for the use of their hall, to Mrs. J. H. McClure for the use of the organ, to the M. E. Church for the use of seats and chairs, to the boys who helped in bringing in the seats, and to all who, in any way, aided in making this meeting a complete success.

One item, the last, was not on the program as printed, and it was the pleasure of those in the lower end of this division who were in the moonlight till about 10 o'clock p. m. for the train to arrive for the return trip.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The NEWS is informed that H. W. Preece has sold to John R. B. a United States engineer to see of this place, what is known as the Borders farm, on the river not far from Richardson, the price paid being \$9000 and other considerations.

OUR 28th YEAR.

This is the First Issue of a New Volume for the News.

The week of August 30, 1912, rounded out the 27th consecutive year of the publication of the Big Sandy News. In the 1404 weeks embraced in those 27 years of time, the NEWS had not once failed to "be out" on the day of publication—Friday. But last week it came dangerously near breaking its enviable sequence. The paper has added to its already large equipment a fine Babcock news press of the latest design, perfect in all its appointments, speedy and faultless in action. The birthday of the people's paper was celebrated by tearing down the old press and putting in the new, and it sure was a job, to do both and not miss going to press on the regular day, but it was done. The work of change began on Wednesday, lasting until the small hours of Thursday morning. A very few hours later it was resumed and did not cease until, by much perseverance, perspiration and pluck the first side was run off, and the completed, improved NEWS was in the postoffice for distribution on Friday evening. The patrons of the NEWS now understand the delay in receiving their favorite paper. The NEWS will continue to give its readers the news from everywhere and concerning everything generally political, social, religious and industrial. Everybody knows its political bias. It is published for the people.

IMPROVEMENT

Of the Big Sandy River is at Stake.

Citizens of Counties Along the Valley Should Prepare for the Visit of U. S. Engineers.

The improvement of the Big Sandy river and its two main forks by a system of locks and dams was projected many years ago. After numerous delays from causes also numerous the improvement has progressed until five dams and the necessary locks have been completed, one near the mouth of the river, one at Kavanaugh, one at Louisa, one at Saltwater, on the Tug fork, and one at Chapman, about 7 miles above Louisa, on the Levisa fork. These various locks and dams represent the highest types of construction designed to improve a navigable water way and represent also the expenditure of a very large amount of money. They are almost, if not perfect in design and erection and accomplish with precision and dispatch the purpose for which they were intended, to wit, the forming and holding of pools of sufficient length and depth to permit the passage of rafts, barges and boats. This is the condition which will confront the special Board of United States Engineers ordered by Chief Engineer Birby when it makes a re-examination of the two forks of the river as ordered. The Board will also find that the highest point reached by slackwater in either fork of the river has, practically, just touched the lower edge of the coal fields through which the Big Sandy river runs. It will also find that transportation along the slackwater now available in season is seriously handicapped by the difficulty which is so pronounced at dam number one when the Ohio is at the usual summer stage. At that time entrance through the lock by boat is sometimes impossible, and it does require the knowledge possessed by a United States engineer to see when you can't get into a river and what river and whatever improvement it may have are practically useless to you. It is said that the completion of the Norfolk Western through the coal fields of West Virginia and the Chesapeake & Ohio through the vast coal domain of the upper Levisa and its forks there is no need for the further facilities which slackwater transportation would furnish. It is said that "certain Senators and Congressmen at Washington do not know whether or not the improvements contemplated for the upper branches of the Big Sandy are actually needed." Come and see! It is said that the C. & O. railroad has contracted to handle from 200 to 300 carloads of coal and coke for the Consolidation Coal and Coke Co. alone, the smallest contract being 200 carloads, increasing to 300 carloads as the output of the mines increases. This contract is only one of the big coal corporations now at work in the coal fields of the known earth. This is a contract for one road, isn't it? Will it do when all the other companies really get to work?

The Kanawha is slackwatered from end to end. The output of the mines along that stream will be very small when compared with what the mines of the Big Sandy will turn out when fully developed, but there is not the slightest likelihood that "the game is not worth the powder." Why? The United States building costly locks and dams from Pittsburgh to the mouth of the Ohio is to answer the question—A 9 foot draft.

This will be accomplished by the construction of Lock Number one, which is now under way at Catlettsburg and Ashland. When this series continued until a navigable stage is had to the great coal fields of the upper Sandy the immense tonnage through the completed locks would justify the cost of construction.

This article is written mainly to call the attention of the people of the upper counties along both forks to the urgent necessity for prompt and intelligent action on their part if they would see the continuation and completion of the proposed improvement of the Tug and Levisa rivers. They should hold meetings and organize for the purpose of meeting this proposed Board with such an array of information, facts and figures pertaining to the question under consideration as will convince the Chief Engineer and Congress that the continuation of the improvement is necessary and that its abandonment in the face of what has already been done and what its continuation would do for the country and the people is not advisable.

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KENTUCKY OIL NEWS.

Operations in Old and New Fields Throughout the State.

Barbourville, Ky., Sept. 1.—The Kentucky petroleum fields for the month just closed showed a wider range of activity than any preceding month this year. Better prices commanded by crude oil are evidently having their effect in stimulating field developments. This time a year ago the better grade Kentucky oil commanded 71 cents a barrel, while the inferior grade was quoted at 45 cents. The present quotations are 91 and 53 cents, respectively, and it will not surprise the trade if higher prices are reached during the winter.

Drilling between old wells has been a feature of late field work and the older pools like Wayne and Wolf have yielded some good results.

August operations were featured not so much by the increased new production as by the drilling and starting of wells in new districts and unproven territory. Prospects entered several counties which have been outside the area of activity for several years.

Wolfe, Lawrence and Floyd counties, in upper Kentucky; Wayne county, in lower Kentucky, and Allen and Ohio counties, in the Western Kentucky field, figured in production last month. The feature strike last month was a well of large capacity on Stillwater Creek, Wolfe county. An initial daily production of 100 barrels was registered by this producer, which is several miles in advance of the proven area. In lower Kentucky Wayne county contributed a number of producers ranging in capacity from fifteen to forty barrels. In McCreary county, which is an extension of the Wayne county districts, quite a lively drilling campaign is under way and the field is being rapidly developed.

Louisville operators have secured extensive holdings in Allen county, an undrilled field which is regarded as promising, and the new operators will begin several tests at an early date. Half a dozen new companies are preparing to begin work in Allen county and a similar showing in new work is made in Ohio county.

A new section of upper Kentucky which is in line for some development work, is Nicholas county where preparations are under way to start some test drilling. The Beaver Creek district of Kentucky is also attracting

and ga down the last Sunday. Disappointed from the minds of those he had been a gift to the domestic conduct of the mansion in brass hands and enclosures. As we view the smallness of his personal rights and the greatness of his territory, the oft-repeated voluntarily arose in our mind on what meat hath our Caesar that he hath grown so great?"

A PLEASANT OCCASION.

Miss Minnie Caines, of Potters, who had been entertaining quite a house party for some days, invited many other friends to partake of her gracious hospitality on Sunday last. They are good cooks at the Caines country home, and on this occasion they did their very best. To hear of the many substantial and delicate served made one's mouth water.

Of the number present these are a partial list:

Misses Dollie Peters, Laura B. Miller, Lou Gearhart, Ruth Norton, Eva Wellman, Mollie Chaffin, Nina McHenry, Herma and Bess Waller, of Ft. Gay, Herma Blewett, of Richardson, Mrs. Lottie L. Denry and Lorena Layne, of Ashland, John Vaughan, Mike Conley, Willie Cain, and R. H. Caines.

NEW LIVERY FIRM.

Will Queen, of this city, and W. S. ("Shade") McGlothlin, of East Fork, have formed a partnership in the livery business and will occupy the big three-story concrete building recently erected by Snyder Brothers on the corner of Water and Perry streets. The building will be ready for use October first. Mr. McGlothlin and family will become residents of Louisa as soon as they can procure a house.

HONOR BOYS

Named for First State Fair Examination at Louisville.

Announcement of the appointment of the boys who will compete in the State Fair's first fair boys' encampment by Secretary J. L. Dent. The appointments were made after examination had been held.

In thirty counties

have nominated

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bers, from \$11,000,000 to \$45,000,000. Other companies, whose assessments were largely increased, are the Illinois Central, the Queen & Crescent and the Chesapeake and Ohio. The Louisville Railway Company's assessment was also materially increased.

Washington, Aug. 28.—Mount McKinley overtops all other peaks on the North American continent after all, despite a report of discovery of an unknown mountain of about its height in Alaska.

Coast and geodetic survey experts, moved by the statement of Miss Dora Keen, an intrepid mountain climber, the first to ascend Mount Blackburn, that she saw 150 miles to the eastward an unknown mountain, apparently as high as McKinley, have identified the peak as Mount Steele. Mount Steele is only 16,439 feet high, while McKinley towers more than 20,000 feet. Mount Steele is a little to the eastward of the international boundary in a region now being explored by the international boundary survey parties.

All the mountains in the direction indicated by Miss Keen have been fairly well determined by the survey scientists. Mount Blackburn, from which Mount Steele and other peaks were observed, is 16,140 feet high, 300 feet lower than Steele.

This part of Alaska is rapidly being unfolded to civilization by the pushing forward of Government expeditions, who are charting the whole country on to the Arctic Ocean. It is a very inaccessible section of the one hundred and forty-first meridian between Mount St. Elias and Mount Nainzhat.

Flint, Mich., Aug. 30.—In the presence of hundreds of people, 14 year old Chester Betts, son of Bert N. Betts, of Flint, was accidentally caught by the guy ropes of a balloon to-day and carried about 2,000 feet in the air before the rope untangled and hurled him to his death. He crashed against the roof of a barn and was still alive when spectators reached him, but he soon expired.

The tragedy occurred at a county fair and when the balloon and aerostat shot upwards many people thought the youth dangling at the end of a rope was a dummy. The heroic efforts of the balloonist to rescue the boy soon disclosed the truth to the crowd below. As the big gas bag crept bigger and higher the aerostat in peril of his own safety could be seen working desperately to pull the dangling form to the trapeze. Finally the rope awirled away from the lad and the tiny form dropped downward like a stone.

LUKE MCLURE'S LEVITY.

Every fat woman believes that all scale manufacturers are crooked.

A married man finds out that his wife has about a thousand relatives who were not on the map while she was single.

No matter how ornery a woman may be, a man always hates to hear her swear.

Ever notice that the faded old cut-ups on the shady side of a lake like to talk about "na girls" when a man is around?

In India a girl never sees her husband until after marriage. In this country she seldom sees him after marriage.

When a man's salary is \$30 per week and his household expenses are \$40 per week, his wife always wonders what he does with all his money.

It is all right for a girl to test in Providence, but she should not examine the quality of the glass in the window shades and see what they are opaque.

The woman have been stealing all of our ideas in wearing apparel. I saw a man the other day who had them buffaloed. He wore white shoes and black trousers.

Women are called angels because they never have a thing to worry.

A man can get along with a single pillow on a bed, but a girl needs two because she has to have something to hug.

When a man is of absolutely no account on earth some fool will be sure to find that he is just average.

A man who calls a woman bluff is either a hatter for trouble or just a plain fool.

Astoria Deloria, Postmaster at Garden, Mich., knows the exact facts when he speaks of the curative value of Foley Kidney Pills. He says: "From my own experience I recommend Foley Kidney Pills, as I have used them for kidney trouble, and were cured."

So Tired

It may be from overwork, but the chances are its from an inactive LIVER.

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It adds a hundred per cent to ones earning capacity.

It can be kept in healthful action by, and only by

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NOTES OF THE FARM.

Farm and Fireside, an agricultural paper published at Springfield, O., says about sheep:

"Out of something over six million of farms existing in the United States two thirds are without a single golden hoof, while lamb is dearer than either beef or pork. A fairly good flock of ewes should average at least a lamb and a half per ewe every year, with a fleece and the best of fertilizers thrown in. Would that our farmers would think over this as a change from the consideration of the squabbles of Messrs. Taft and Roosevelt. There is more money and less discord in sheep."

In the current issue of Farm and Fireside appears the following:

"A new champion cow" has scored. The greatest cow in the world is owned by Dan Dimmick & Co. of East Claydon, Ohio. She gave in a year 27,444 pounds of milk, which contained 1,058.34 pounds of butterfat. This is equal to over thirteen hundred pounds of butter. Four good dairy cows as cows go would not have done better. And she ate no more than a poor cow would have eaten. Her name is Banostiae Belle of Koi, but she isn't to blame for this.

"The name comes from the idiosyncrasy of the Holstein-Friesian breeders custom of hitching the city directory of some town in Friesland to the tail of every fine cow."

The following is taken from the current issue of Farm and Fireside: "Any people who feel that their minds are becoming deranged, would be well to have themselves examined, just as for any other disease, with a publicist. In Maryland, Rhode Island, New Jersey and Illinois laws have been passed allowing such persons to take steps for the relief of their own minds. These statutes have been found a great blessing to many people, who under the laws of most States would have been obliged to wait until quite insane before treatment. In most cases these self-committed persons have voluntarily gone to hospitals, and the State thus saved expense, and the families spared great worry and humiliation."

Farm and Fireside says: "Governor Burke of North Dakota was raised by an Indiana farmer, who found him on the streets of New York."

The following suggestion as to how to destroy ants appears in the current issue of Farm and Fireside: "The best and easiest method I have ever found for destroying ants, whether they are in the house or on the lawn, is to take a large sponge, wet it and sift fine sugar all over it and lay it in the place that is infested. The ants will soon fill the sponge. Take it and sink it in a pail of water; they will then leave the sponge and rise to the top of the water and can easily be destroyed. Sprinkle more sugar on the sponge and put it in place again. This repeated a few times will soon enable the housewife to destroy all the ants."

Farm and Fireside says in its current issue:

"The domestic economy department of the Oregon Agricultural College is doing a piece of work entirely practical, in teaching the young ladies of the department how to prepare satisfactory meals at a low cost. The governor was recently served with a very elaborate meal which cost but twenty cents."

Farm and Fireside says:

"Now is the time to take note of the hens that have been especially successful in brooding and rearing chickens. Mark them so you will know them and keep them over for another season, even if they are not much of a success as egg-producers. Next spring, when you want some reliable 'clucks,' you will trust with them."

In the current issue of Farm and Fireside appears the following:

"Doctor Johannsen of Copenhagen has made it possible for lilacs in the valley to come to maturity in eight to ten days. This has been accomplished by the use of chloroform, by means of which he makes the plants 'sleep' very strenuously. Their thorough rest seemingly makes them anxious to do their life work, and so they grow rapidly."

In the current issue of Farm and Fireside appears the following:

"Princeton University has established a farm at which students may work with the implements of agriculture. This is just a side-lino for this great institution, but it indicates the way folks are thinking."

Some Summer Thoughts.

Perpetual motion: the housewife at work.

Never be satisfied till you are out of the scrub-stock class.

There is good luck in a horseshoe when it is fastened to the horse's foot.

Some things will not work on the farm; you cannot bluff good crops out of the soil.

Don't overload. It is a wise driver who knows just how much his team can pull.

Are your hogs of the one-strip-leena kind? Add another strip by feeding more alfalfa.

To derive the greatest profits from the dairy, have at least one-half of the cows fresh in the fall.

Horses sometimes get so expert with their noses that they can lift the hinged lid of the grain-box if it be not fastened down. It is a wise plan to have a hasp and lock on every such bin. Cheaper than to have a horse sick and perhaps die.

Sometimes there is use for a pair of bars in the stable to keep apart. We have found that a little, notch about two inches wide in the end of the bars, which will hook over the slot into which they slide, saves many chances of the animals getting together and harming themselves.

Poultrymen who feel that they would like to ship to some commission merchant in a near-by city, if they could only be assured of the honesty and reliability of such merchant, by writing us may learn the address of firms with whom their present shippers have nothing but words of praise. There are honest commission men in the business, if one can find them. We have gone to a good deal of expense to place ourselves in position to advise our readers relative to profitable selling, which we do free of charge.

Alfalfa grows so fast that a lazy man is apt not to like it.

Long flager-nails are a poor recommendation for a dairy hand.

If honesty always paid the best, a cola, preaching would be superfluous.

Doing wrong is a nice way is a long step toward doing it any old way.

Bossism in politics is the spirit of feudalism, and blind partisanship is simply vasaalage.

If the handle on your corn-knife is broken, don't throw it in the junk-pile. Simply saw off eight inches from an old ax-handle, and saw a slit down the center. Insert the blade, and rivet it. You have a better handle than is ever made on a corn-knife.

JOHN M. NEWTON.

Count your blessings while the are coming. After you have enjoyed them, you may not remember how nor what to count.

T. L. Parks, Murrayville, Ga. Route 1, is in his 73rd year, and was recently cured of a bad kidney and bladder trouble. He says himself: "I have suffered with my kidneys. My back ached and I was annoyed with bladder irregularities. I can truthfully say, one 50c bottle of Foley Kidney Pills cured me entirely." They contain no blubbery drugs. For sale by All dealers.

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To Cincinnati and West. Leave Ashland, express, daily, 4:02 a. m., 6:12 a. m., 12:41 p. m., Locals, 5:49 a. m., week days.

1:26 p. m., daily. Leave Ashland, express, daily, 17 a. m., 6:23 a. m., 1:00 p. m., Locals 8:05 a. m., week days 12 p. m., daily.

Eastbound, Main Line. Leave Ashland, express, daily, 3:39 p. m., 10:09 p. m., 12:39 a. m., Local, daily to Huntington, 12:41 p. m.; runs to Hinton, week days.

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County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

GALLUP & PEACH ORCHARD.

There will be a picnic supper at the upper Griffiths creek school house Saturday Sept. 7th, at 6:30 o'clock for school purposes. Everybody invited.

Josh Salmon and Jessie Hatfield, of this place went to Richardson on business this week.

Roy Bartlett, of Richardson was calling on Muggie Belcher Saturday. R. C. Vaughan left here for Catletsburg Saturday.

Rev. Williams and wife attended church here Sunday.

Steve Hensley returned from Borderland Saturday.

Misses Ethel Akers and Mary Vaughan attended the teachers association Saturday.

Jessie Hatfield will leave here for Jenkins soon.

Dan Centers, who has been ill for some time is improving.

The stork visited the home of A. H. Perry and left a 9 1-2 lb. boy.

Walter Mitchell and wife were visiting relatives at Laurel Saturday.

Dud Glikerson and Belle Shivel were out driving Sunday.

Ted Hensley was visiting his sister, Mrs. A. H. Perry recently.

School is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Ethel Akers.

Thomas Vaughan and wife were the guests of Rex Vaughan and wife Sunday.

Daley Childers, of Richardson was visiting her sister Mrs. Sam McHenry Saturday and Sunday.

A. H. and Fred Perry is attending court at Louisa this week.

There will be church at the home of Nell Thompson's Sunday Sept. 8th, by Rev. John Miller.

Steve Hensley and family spent Sunday with Mack Priest and family.

A large drove of cattle passed through here last week.

Charley Daniel and Jessie Hatfield will leave here next Friday to attend the association at Inez.

J. B.

Few, if any, medicines, have met with the uniform success that has attended the use of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The remarkable cures of colic and diarrhoea which it has effected in almost every neighborhood have given it a wide reputation. For sale by Louisa Drug Co.

DEEP HOLE & CHRISTMAS.

Sunday school at this place is progressing nicely with Mr. Roberts Supp.

Mary, Tennie and Nancy Starr left Sunday for Naughton, W. Va., where they will spend a few weeks with friends and relatives.

Harvey and Jerome Preece attended church on Morgan creek Sunday.

School at this place is progressing nicely.

Rosa Starr was at Christmas Monday.

Ernest Chaffin was at W. M. Starr's Sunday.

James Starr was in Louisa Sunday.

John Short was calling at Jack Preece's Sunday.

Miss Martha Clark will leave soon for Floyd county, where she will spend a few weeks with friends.

Mrs. Harvey Hurchett was visiting Mrs. James Starr Sunday.

Miss Gypsy Hurchett passed here Saturday enroute to Louisa.

Harvey Preece was calling on Miss Lizzie Workman recently.

Sherman Foster, of Yatesville spent last week with Jerome Preece.

Hester Adkins, of Twin Branch spent the past week with Mrs. M. L. Johns.

Jack Preece attended the meeting and baptizing at Morgana creek Sunday.

Nancy Starr, of this place has left for Nolan, W. Va., where she will stay for a while.

Harvey Moore, of Fallsburg called on Jerome Preece recently.

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SMOKY VALLEY.

There will be a convention here next Saturday. Everybody come.

Miss Ethel Cyrus and Ella Carr called at George Diamond's Sunday.

Martin Roberts was in Louisa Saturday.

Arthur and Margie Cheek visited school Friday.

George Brndley and Allen Hutchison called on friends here Sunday.

Fred Roberts visited home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Arthur Cheek had the misfortune of getting his foot cut.

Charley and Bert Hughes passed through here Saturday last.

J. A. Hutchison called on Emma and Ida Muncy.

Jonah and Herbert Adkins called at Joe Cyrus' Sunday.

Several from here attended the apron social at Pleasant Ridge last Saturday night.

Miss Bessie Cheek is staying with her brother on Lick creek.

Miss Grace and Gertrude Dameron, May and Violet Roberts and Mary Brndley passed through here Sunday.

Felix Wellman passed through here enroute home from Prestonsburg where he has been working in the coal mines.

A RED HEADED GIRL.

The implicit confidence that many people have in Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy is founded on their experience in the use of that remedy and their knowledge of the many remarkable cures of colic, diarrhoea and dysentery that it has effected. For sale by Louisa Drug Co.

PROGRAMME.

For the Lower Louisa Magisterial District Sunday School Convention to be held at the Smoky Valley school house Sept. 7th 1912.

9:30. Singing.

9:50. Scripture reading and prayer by Bro. J. W. Crites.

10. Welcome address, O. J. Vaughan.

10. Response, Wm. Burgess.

Short talk by the President.

10:15. The true aim of the Sunday school L. M. Copley.

10:45. How to interest the children in Sunday school G. M. Copley.

11:15. Report of the district officers and delegates.

11:45. Offering.

Noon.

1:30. Singing and prayer.

1:45. Why I am interested in the Sunday school, J. W. Bradley.

How can we improve—

2:00. 1st. The music of the church.

W. J. Vaughan.

2:15. 2nd. The attendance.

Rev. Summers.

2:30. 3rd. The teaching.

Mrs. G. A. Nash.

2:45. 4th. The Spirituality.

Rev. Crites.

Report of committees and adjourn.

J. A. HUTCHISON, Pres.

J. W. BRADLEY, Secy.

If you knew of the real value of Chamberlain's Liniment for lame back, soreness of the muscles, sprains and rheumatic pains, you would need wish to be without it. For sale by Louisa Drug Co.

PROGRAM.

For the Little Blaine and Georges Creek S. S. Convention to be held at Evergreen, Saturday, September 14, 1912.

9:30. Devotional Services.—Rev. Wm. Copley.

10:00. Welcome Address.—Mrs. Betty Pigg.

10:15. Response.—C. B. Bromley.

10:30. Cause and Effect in S. S. Work.—Rev. J. W. Crites.

11:00. Our Greatest Need; V's ion.—L. M. Copley.

11:30. Appointment of Committees, etc.

Noon.

1:00. Song Service.—Everybody.

1:30. The Home and the S. S.—Dr. W. A. Hays.

2:00. The Pastor and the S. S.—Rev. A. Harvey.

2:30. Who is to Blame?—A. L. Moore and M. S. Burns.

3:00. Conditions in our county.—O. J. Vaughan.

3:30. Reports from School, Committees, etc.

Let every person come and try to make this the very best convention ever yet held.

COMMITTEE.

FOR SALE.

One bay horse, age four years in perfect health, never sick, never lame never refuses to eat, weighs 1450 lbs. Good worker excellent buggy horse full of energy and mettlesome movement and safe for women to drive. For further information address.

M. M. WALTER, Blaine, Ky.

PROGRAM.

For Teacher's Association to be held at Blaine, Ky., Sept. 14, 1912.

Song by the audience.—Sunshine in the soul.

Devotional exercise by Rev. Howes.

Song by the Blaine school.—It is Well with my Soul.

Welcome address.—Dr. Osborn.

Response.—Dock Jordan.

Address.—Jay O'Daniel.

What constitutes a model school.—John Ekers.

Why beautify the school ground and house?—Luther Burton.

How study the health conditions of a community. How improve them?—Dr. Osborn.

Song by the Blaine school.—My Old Kentucky Home.

Position and manners of children.—Jinia McGuire.

A model recitation.—Carl Moore.

How secure the active interest of parents in school.—Sherman Evans.

Noon.

Song by the audience.—East Kentucky Hills.

How is the rural school failing to prepare pupils for life?—Dock Jordan.

Make an outline of facts of nature that children may be taught in school.—Emma Thompson.

Do you indorse regular attendance of your children? If so, why?—W. A. Arrington.

The two habits—Neglect and Punctuality.—Bertha Prose.

Song by Blaine School, "Glory for Me."

A point of interest you have learned this term of school.—Foraker Cordie, Drew Adams, Talmage Holton, Green Wellman, Fred Steele, Enoch Wheeler, Hattie J. Burton and others.

What I am doing with the Moonlight School, W. M. Gamhill.

The value of play and the necessity of large playgrounds, Arthur Morris.

A Quiz of the Association by the Superintendent and Supervisors.

Song by audience, "I am Happy in Him."

S. W. BURTON, Pres.

OSCAR BAILEY, Sec.

The Next President.

The next President of the United States is a currency reformer.

Governor Wilson says: "The question of currency reform lies very near to the prosperity of the country. We suffer from crisis because of our unscientific system of currency."

Colonel Roosevelt says: "There must be a revision of our currency laws, because to leave them as they are means to incur liability of business disaster."

President Taft says: "Banking and currency reform is necessary to the interests of all the people."

WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

DOINGS OF PEOPLE WHO LIVE JUST ACROSS THE RIVER.

The Twelve Pole Baptist Association will meet with the Spruce Lick church on Wednesday and Thursday before the 4th Sunday in September 1912.

The next reunion of the members of Confederate Camp will be at Logan C. H., on Tuesday September 17 1912, at 11 o'clock a. m. The presence of each member is requested.

Dr. J. I. Miller, of Kenova, republican candidate for house of delegates from Wayne county has placed the resignation of his candidacy in the hands of the Wayne county republican executive committee.

Notwithstanding the fact that W. B. Bennett, of Fayette county has resigned from the bench after the governor had been asked to call a special session of the legislature to consider his impeachment, it is not intended that Judge Bennett escape impeachment in this manner.

Fire destroyed the grocery store of Geo. Justice and a small dwelling adjoining in the lower end of town Thursday morning.

The fire originated in the dwelling and spread to the grocery and both buildings, valued at \$1200 and the stock of groceries valued at \$2000 were totally destroyed.

It was only by the good work done by the firemen that the residence of Geo. Justice was saved.

The insurance on the building was \$1000 and the goods \$1600.

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Big Sandy News

Friday, September 6, 1912.



If all the stars were monster whales
And every cloud u bear,
T. R. would grab 'em by their tails
And heave 'em through the air.
—Springfield Union.

Mout Burke and family have moved from Ashland to Louisa.

Thut lively hebdomadal, the Pikeville Advocate, is again with us.

LOST.—Bunch of keys. Return to Dr. Wroten and receive reward.

FOR RENT.—A nice 6-room cottage on Lock avenue. Apply to J. B. CRUTCHER.

The Rev. Mr. Grant, of Williams, has declined a call to the Louisa Baptist church.

FOR SALE.—Upright Starr piano. In good order. Apply to MRS. A. M. WHEELER, Louisa, Ky.

FOR SALE: Young heifer, part Jersey and Durham. Address T. B. CAYTON or E. E. SHANNON.

Fleishman's Yeast, fresh, every Tuesday and Thursday at J. B. Crutcher's, 3 cents per cake.

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silverware, Cut Glass, Stationery, Kodaks and Supplies at Conley's Store.

George Kuzee, of Elliott county, has been appointed Assistant Deputy Warden of the Frankfort penitentiary.

Prosecutor John Waugh has bought and shipped to his children a fine Shetland pony. It was sold by Milt Evans.

The Thursday afternoon prayer meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Reed Roberts, of Lady Washington street, this week.

The evening train from Pikeville last Saturday was detained by a freight wreck near Chestnut and arrived here six and a half hours late.

William Morris, C. E. Hensley and Charter Wellman were in Covington this week attending the Grand Lodge of the Junior Order of American Mechanics.

The Board of Health of Maysville has issued public warning against infantile paralysis, several cases of which have been reported.

There have been several deaths attributable to this cause.

Miss Laura Crutcher was the hostess at a party given Thursday evening to introduce her charming visitor, Miss Anna Ross, of Louisa. Music was the chief diversion of the evening and at a late hour dainty refreshments were served.—Huntington Tribune.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church South held its regular monthly meeting Tuesday last. The members were guests of Mrs. A. L. Burton, and after dispatching the routine business of the meeting the hostess served delicious refreshments.

The regular monthly meeting of the city council was held last Tuesday night but beyond the transacting of routine business nothing was done. The clerk was absent, and necessity to certain records could not be had. This shortened the session and caused an early adjournment.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wheeler died on Saturday night last of jaundice. It was only three or four days old and his death was not unexpected. On Sunday the body was taken to Crum, W. Va., Mrs. Wheeler's former home, for interment. Mrs. Wheeler continues to improve.

Well Known C. & O. Engineer Dead

Bollivar L. Wesley, a well known and popular C. & O. engineer, died at his home in Ashland last Tuesday after a long and painful illness. Mr. Wesley was born in West Virginia 46 years ago and is survived by his widow and three children. The burial occurred on Tuesday.

VOCAL AND PIANO MUSIC.

Two hundred late standard and popular piano pieces, including many popular songs, have just been placed on sale at Conley's store at 15 cents per copy. Additions to the stock will be made right along.

FOUR WEDDINGS.

Brave Young Couples Who Don't Mind the Weather.

Bellomy-Wellman.

On Monday, Sept. 2nd, Mr. Carl Wellman, of Mill Creek, and Miss Bertha Bellomy, of Buchanan, presented themselves before the Rev. Reynolds and were by him duly and truly joined in matrimony. Mrs. Wellman is 17 years old and her husband is 19. Both are highly respected young people.

Burchett-Bradley.

On Saturday, August 31st, Miss Gypsy Burchett and Mr. L. E. Bradley, were united in matrimony. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Burchett, of Christmus and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Bradley, of Yatesville. The bride is 21 years old and the groom is about 30. Both are prominent teachers of Lawrence county.

Perry-Stiltner.

The store of the Louisa Furniture Co. was the place and Tuesday, Sept. 3rd, the time, and the Rev. Dr. Hanford the clergyman when Miss Alta May Perry and Mr. Fred S. Stiltner were made man and wife. Both the high contracting parties live in Wayne county. The bride is the daughter of Squire Perry, a former sheriff of Wayne, and one of the prominent men of his section. The bride is 19 and the groom 22.

This matrimonial fever is no wise affected by the fact that the mercury is trying to get out of the tube by way of the top.

Murray-Witt.

Married, on Saturday afternoon last, at the residence of the Rev. Roscoe Murray, Miss Kenova Murray to Mr. Charles E. Witt, the Rev. S. F. Reynolds, officiating. The bride, a very pretty and worthy girl, is the adopted sister of Mr. Murray. She has lived in this city several years and has a large number of friends. She is a school teacher and is employed near Saltwater. Mr. Witt is store manager for the mine at Keystone, W. Va. He comes well recommended. Mrs. Witt will not quit her school but will teach to its close. Her marriage came as a great surprise to her relatives, only a very few knowing that such an interesting event was to occur.

HONOR HOYS.

(Continued from page one.)

Floyd County—Thomas Hall, McDowell.

Carter County—Celsus C. Wheeler, Louisa (Lawrence.)

Lawrence County—John C. Kane, Fallsburg.

These hoys secured their appointment as a result of competitive examination. Their transportation to and from Louisville and their entertainment there are paid for by the Kentucky State Fair Association and the trip was secured for the boys through the efforts of Commissioner of Agriculture Newman. It costs neither the State nor the boys a single cent, the trip will be an object lesson of inestimable value to them.

Mr. C. B. Bromley, District Agent, Louisa, Ky.

Dear Sir:

Through you I am just in receipt of a check for \$10.71 from the North American Accident Insurance Co. in full for my claim just recently received. I am greatly pleased with the promptness of this settlement which is perfectly satisfactory in every respect.

I heartily recommend the North American Accident Insurance Co. to all who desire protection against accident and illness.

Very truly yours,

GEO. W. HALE.

C. B. Bromley was the leading producer for the North American Accident Insurance Co. in Kentucky and 27 in rank of the national list.

LOOK MR. FARMER LOOK.

D. J. Burchett, Jr., the flour and feed man of Louisa, Ky., has made arrangements to exchange the famous Mt. Vernon Flour for your wheat this year. Every pound of flour guaranteed in person. This motto, "A satisfied customer means better business; a square deal to all." Bring your wheat and he convinced. Office and mill opposite passenger depot, Louisa, Ky.

Miss Emma Thompson, one of the school supervisors of Lawrence county, was in Louisa several days this week on official business.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. L. T. McClure has gone to Huntington.

W. D. Pierce was in Cincinnati this week, buying goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crutcher, of Huntington, were here this week.

Proctor Knott Mallin, of Ashland, attended circuit court Wednesday.

E. A. Hatch, of Louisa, was in this city Monday—Cattlettsburg Item.

John C. Hatcher, of Kligore, was visiting Louisa relatives last week.

Messrs. Joe, John and Thomas McClure, of Gallup, were here Monday.

Attorney John F. Hager, of Ashland, was attending court here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ducla and son, of Toledo, O., were here this week.

Mr. Phil. Fannin, a prominent Boyd county citizen, was in Louisa Thursday.

Mrs. Rebecca Lewis has returned to Louisa after a protracted visit in Greenfield, O.

Robert Turner, of Maryland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Turner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Walker, of Woods, Floyd county, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Mayo.

Mr. Lucien Poteet, of Charleston, W. Va., was visiting his brother George, of Louisa, Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. George Waldeck and children, of Huntington, were visiting Louisa relatives Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pauley and children have gone to Charleston, W. Va., for a visit of two weeks.

Miss Louise Crutcher will leave Sunday for Cincinnati, where she will attend Mt. St. Joseph's school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Townsend, of Black Lick, near Columbus, O., are visiting relatives near Busseyville.

Mrs. H. A. Schoize and daughter Virginia left Louisa Saturday for their home in New Cumberland, W. Va.

After a visit of some weeks to Miss Roberta Dixon, Miss Lucy Crutcher has returned to Central City.

Miss Victoria Garred left Saturday for a visit to friends in Huntington and other West Virginia places.

Mrs. R. S. Chaffin goes to Maysville Friday, where she will join her husband and both will go to Cincinnati.

George Roberts came up Friday and visited his wife and boy until Tuesday. He has employment in Huntington.

Mrs. G. A. Nash went to Huntington Friday on business connected with the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society.

Mr. Eph Hatfield, who lives in Pike county and whose post office is Rose Siding, W. Va., was here on Sunday last.

Earl C. McClure, wife and children returned Tuesday from Huntington, where his family had been several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mayo and Mrs. Fred Walker, of Floyd county, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Mayo this week.

Miss Lizzie Bromley, of this city, who is stenographer for a Cattlettsburg bank, spent Sunday and Labor Day with her parents.

Mr. Naaman Jackson, formerly of this county but now cashier of a bank in Logan, W. Va., visited Louisa relatives last week.

Mr. William Garland, formerly foreman of the mines at Majestic, but now of this city, paid the NEWS a call Saturday.

Miss Rebecca Lackey will leave on Monday next for Atlanta, Ga., and will enter Agnes Scott College, a noted school near that city.

Miss Virginia Russell, accompanied by Miss Adelaide Mallin, of Ashland, came up Saturday and spent the day with Louisa friends.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Vinson have returned from Huntington. Mrs. Vinson and Mrs. John Ratcliff had been to visit their father, Maj. D. J. Burchett, of Mt. Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Shipp, who had been at the Brunswick several weeks, have gone to Huntington where they will keep house. They are very nice people.



School Shoes

Shoes, to withstand the rough and tumble wear of children, **MUST** be strong and durable. There is not a shoe in the **LONGWEAR LINE** that has any composition or imitation leather in its construction; nothing but solid, well-selected leather. This makes it economical to buy **LONGWEAR SHOES** for your children. They are not only durable, but hygienically constructed, tending to promote the health of the children and give them perfect freedom from all foot troubles. Our prices are consistent with your pocketbook, and we can give you almost any leather your fancy may choose

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A DASTARDLY DEED.

Riding on a hay wagon in the country near Ashland Thursday night, a party of young society folks, including the sons and daughters of prominent families of Boyd county, was fired upon by a would-be assassin, and a dozen of the young people were injured.

Among the more seriously injured were Misses Zona McClure, Mildred Gardner, Vera Moore, Bruce Williams and Vincent Calvin. Almost every one in the party received a wound of some character. A physician was hurriedly summoned, and in most instances the shots were removed from the bodies of the young people.

The young people stopped at Mead's Junction in order that luncheon might be served. While this was in progress two shots were fired.

When the authorities arrived on the scene no trace could be found of the gun user. A posse was organized and is searching the surrounding country.

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SURPRISE SHOWER.

Miss Bessie Pigg, who is soon to become a bride, was given a pleasant surprise shower Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Florence Currutt. Miss Currutt entertained Miss Pigg for supper, and at seven o'clock a number of young lady friends arrived each with a pretty piece of china for the bride elect.—Cattlettsburg Item.

Dr. L. D. Jones, the dentist, has been called to St. Charles, Mo., by the death of his brother, H. L. Jones, who is also a dentist. The doctor left over the N. & W. Tuesday afternoon and was joined in Fort Gay by another brother who was going from his home in Virginia to attend the funeral.

INDUSTRIES AT McROBERTS.

Industries started in the Consolidation Coal Company's second city, McRoberts, on Wright's Fork, about here, are as follows: Twenty-five thousand capacity brick plant, big ice plant, bakery, lumber and planing mills, lumber railroad, good telephone system—in fact, practically everything that goes to make up a hustling place.

It is growing by leaps and bounds. An army of men are employed cutting the forests, grading streets, building homes, excavating, engineering, etc. As soon as the Lexington and Eastern railway is completed into the city its growth will be more rapid and phenomenal. Schools and church buildings are planned for McRoberts, but only a temporary school building will be used this year.

A DESIRABLE HOME.

A middle-aged woman of good character can secure a comfortable home with a widow who has no children. Will be expected to do light house work and will be treated as a companion. Particulars given at the Big Sandy News office.

WANTED!

Fifty thousand cross-ties on the banks of Big Blaine creek and its tributaries. Saved or hewed. All ties to be made from green or living timber of sound quality. For specifications and prices write G. C. SWETNAM, Wilbur, Ky., or M. B. SPARKS, Martha, Ky.

TWO GUARDS SHOT.

Charleston, W. Va., Aug. 31.—Two mine guards were shot last night at Cahin Creek Junction, according to reports received here shortly after 8 o'clock.

Governor Glasscock has ordered four companies of the West Virginia National Guard recently sent home back to the scene of the trouble. Reports from the mining district state that shooting can be heard in every direction.

Thomas Hines, Deputy Sheriff, and the mine guard shot Friday night at Dry Branch on Cahin Creek died early to-day.

INCREASED PAY FOR CARRIERS.

Under authority conferred by the post-office appropriation bill Postmaster General Hitchcock increased the salaries of rural letter carriers on standard routes from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a year, thus affecting 30,000 men, with proportionate increases to carriers on shorter routes. The order will become effective Sept. 30.

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J. G. CRABBE, President.

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ARE WOMEN

Woodrow Wilson Has De-
Views on Subject.

ERROR IN NAMES.

Life of Democratic Candidate Gives
Out Letter Taking Strong Stand on
Smoking Habit.

New York.—For the first time since Woodrow Wilson became the Democratic presidential candidate has Mrs. Wilson appended. She attended in person her husband's daily conference with reporters, although heretofore she has made special requests that she be not quoted nor written about in the papers.

What Mrs. Wilson wished to have fully understood was that if she becomes the first lady of the land she will not, as has been said in a widely distributed interview, have packages of cigarettes in her personal desk at the White House and indulge in smoking them with her callers.

Through Governor Wilson, Mrs. Wilson asked that publicity be given to a letter she had written to the editor of the State Journal at Columbus, O., repudiating an alleged interview with her in which she defended cigarette smoking for women. The interview had come to her in a letter signed "American Citizen," which said:

"Dear Madam—I can scarcely think of any greater calamity to the young women of the nation than to read such a preachment as your interview offers them. I am a workman, and I see men lose their jobs almost every day because they are incapacitated for work by the use of the cigarette. If smoking does this for strong men what will it do for girls and women?"

The "Interview" was indeed a cordial endorsement of the woman smoker. Here are some of its assuring phrases, all credited to Mrs. Wilson:

"A woman writer for a syndicate of Sunday newspapers asked Mrs. Woodrow Wilson if she agreed with Gertrude Atherton's opinion of the smoking of cigarettes by women. She smilingly exhibited three cigarette boxes piled in the corner of her desk, all but empty.

"Why shouldn't a woman smoke if she enjoys it?" she queried.

"Why hasn't she just as much right to a cigarette as a man? Certainly I agree with Mrs. Atherton that any existing prejudice against women smoking is to the last silly and absurd.

"Smoking cigarettes is a question of manners, not morals. It promotes good fellowship.

"Some women feel that a cigarette calms their nerves and helps their brains into working order. Personally smoking diffuses my thoughts instead of concentrating them. I enjoy it as I enjoy after dinner coffee. Both are pleasant ways of ending and finishing off; both add to conviviality and good fellowship."

The editor of the Ohio State Journal, it was clear, had been much incensed at the apologies for the cigarette habit among women attributed to Mrs. Wilson, as he wrote on Aug. 10 an editorial in which he called for the defeat of Governor Wilson or a repudiation from his wife. If there was no mistake about it, he wrote, "Mrs. Woodrow Wilson shouldn't be mistress of the White House."

If the Ohio editor was emphatic Mrs. Wilson was certainly not less so. After the reporters had said they would gladly publish her letter to the Ohio editor she asked for an hour's time in which to write one. This was what she prepared:

"Sir—I have just received a copy of your Journal with your editorial entitled 'Smoking Women,' and I beg leave to indignantly deny the statement that I approve of women smoking cigarettes. The interview upon which your editorial was based is a pure invention. I intensely dislike the cigarette smoking habit for women—in fact, so strong is my feeling on the subject that my real danger lies in being unjust and unkind in my judgment of those who differ with me in this respect. But certainly no woman in our household ever has or ever will smoke. Quite apart from the bad taste of it, I believe with you that it has an extremely injurious effect on the nerves.

ELLEN A. WILSON.
(Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.)

Governor Wilson, in approving the letter sent out by Mrs. Wilson, offered what, he thought might prove an explanation for the interview.

"I do not think it was maliciously invented," he said. "There is a rather well known writer who signs herself Mrs. Wilson Woodrow, and she no doubt has been confused with Mrs. Wilson."

Wilson Woodrow was formerly a relative of Governor Wilson and it is understood that her views on the matter of women who smoke are different from those held in the household of the Democratic candidate.

The divided Republican party is like a boy "blowing against the wind." It will be a lot of bluster, but it will not take votes away from Wilson Marshall.

Winning with Wilson means more than a mere Democratic victory; it means restoring real prosperity.

Wilson is the best equipped man nominated for the presidency since Lincoln.

George W. Perkins is sure a "bully" progressive.

DEMOCRACY MUST BE A WORTHY INSTRUMENT

People Trust It, Says Woodrow Wilson, and It Must Make Good.

Sea Girt, N. J.—Woodrow Wilson at the "Little White House" at Sea Girt is daily called upon to demonstrate his ability as a ready speaker.

There is not a day passes but what he meets various delegations who call to assure him of their support.

In speaking of political machines to the Brooklyn Democratic club Governor Wilson said: "Machines are bad, but an organization may be very essential. For instance, I have been surrounded by an organization here in New Jersey while doing my best work. A machine uses its political opportunities for the selfish ends of its members. No members of our organization would ever think of doing that. Public opinion in New Jersey has drawn the distinction. It has killed the machines, and it is going to keep the organization going."

"It seems to me that we are standing in the presence of something higher than allegiance to the Democratic party. The country has been disappointed in the Republican party, and it is turning to the Democratic party. That party is willing to show the way toward those things which must be realized."

"Some gentlemen seem to find it easy to make personalities out of politics, but it seems to me that whenever that is done politics is debased."

"Men who are in search of reform are now resorting to the Democratic party, because, for my own part, I do not know where else they will turn to expect the results. There is no discounting the strength and serviceability of a united party, and the splendid part is that the Democratic party is united."

"Speaking seriously, nothing affords me more genuine pleasure than to receive such greetings from men in Jersey who have at least tested my qualities. Because you have known me at close range and if you will be kind enough to vouch for me perhaps the rest of the country will be credulous of your report."

"I have spent a great deal of time since I became governor of New Jersey defending your character. It was supposed in the old days, when the board of guardians was in charge of the state, that you were all of you disposed to give the most monopolistic trusts of the country a great ringing welcome in New Jersey."

"New Jersey was known as the mother of trusts—a very troublesome and questionable family—and I had to spend my time outside New Jersey assuring the people of the Union that it had not been the fault or the disposition of the people of New Jersey that there were certain gentlemen who had undertaken to carry the Republican party in their pockets and to administer independently of the rank and file of Republicans in the state."

"New Jersey is progressive, but the United States is progressive, and we have here merely a delightful sample of the people of the United States."

"Now, these people are not bent on destroying anything, but they are bent on setting everything in order; they are bent upon justice; they are bent upon seeing to it that the people in general are partners of the government as I was trying to show the other day. And the Democratic party is now placed under a peculiar responsibility. It has to prove that it is the worthy instrument of that zeal on the part of the people of the United States."

"If it does not prove it now it will never be given another chance to prove it. No party that proves unfaithful to that ideal will ever again be trusted by the people of America. And therefore we are standing at a turning point in our politics. We must make good or go out of business. In the vernacular, it is a case of 'put up or shut up,' because words are going to be discounted. Nothing will be honored except the actual carrying out of such programs as sensible men may unite in for the common benefit."

ELLEN A. WILSON.
(Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.)

Governor Wilson, in approving the letter sent out by Mrs. Wilson, offered what, he thought might prove an explanation for the interview.

"I do not think it was maliciously invented," he said. "There is a rather well known writer who signs herself Mrs. Wilson Woodrow, and she no doubt has been confused with Mrs. Wilson."

Wilson Woodrow was formerly a relative of Governor Wilson and it is understood that her views on the matter of women who smoke are different from those held in the household of the Democratic candidate.

The divided Republican party is like a boy "blowing against the wind." It will be a lot of bluster, but it will not take votes away from Wilson Marshall.

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It is right for us to complain so

much of our hardships and our disappointments? Can we expect to hear a "Well done, thou good and faithful servant," when we are doing so little with the talents given us? Is it reasonable we should expect to be given a word that is full of beauty and of richness, if we spend our time here in lamenting the crosses of life? Must a fairer home than this be given us if we close our eyes to all the pictures which Nature has drawn to please them, turn a deaf ear to the strains of music that are vibrating the air about us, and murmur of hunger when rare fruits but need the gathering? Can't we do our part a little better? Can't we help others about us to raise the thin curtain of ignorance, doubt or despondency, which is shutting out the light of joy which shines for all? "Thou hast been faithful over one city. I will make thee ruler over many." It is not likely that you and I were made to rule cities, but we have been given our work to do. Will we be faithful to the truth?

TO THINK ABOUT.

One of the greatest forces for good or evil of today is the moving picture show. Almost every hamlet, town and city in this great land has from one to several hundred of these shows. They are open to the public practically every evening, and in many places they are also allowed to do business on Sunday evenings. Now, it is not our purpose to condemn moving picture shows in general. We realize that proper moving pictures may have a very considerable educational value. But it is our intention to sound a warning note in regard to these moving pictures, for we do believe that films are often sent out which ought not to be exhibited where children are allowed to be present.

The power of suggestion is tremendous. Psychologists are realizing this fact more and more almost every day. And at no age is this power greater than in childhood, when the mind is plastic and easily influenced. Pictures which represent hold-ups, burglaries, and trickery of any kind, are responsible for many commitments to the reform schools, for they leave suggestions in the minds of the young which sooner or later tend to work themselves out in such crimes. It is a well known truth that a child is an imitative being. Every child will unconsciously imitate that which it admires. If, then, the hero is a moving picture is represented as committing some act of trickery without being caught, how very natural that the child should try to do likewise. Since then we have this force with us, would it not be well for us

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FARMERS SHOULD SUPPORT WILSON

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SENATOR GARDNER'S VIEWS.

The Maine Statesman, Himself a Farmer, Declares That President Taft Would Continue to Tax Farmers of the United States and at the Same Time Compel Them to Compete With Canadian Farmers.

The reasons why those engaged in agricultural pursuits should support Governor Woodrow Wilson for president are strongly set forth by Senator Obadiah Gardner of Maine in an address to farmers.

Senator Gardner is a practical farmer, one who farms his own farm, and he is probably in closer touch and sympathy with country life and its environments than any other man in public life.

For twenty-five years Senator Gardner has been actively interested in the national grange, and for ten years he was the master of the state grange of Maine. A few years ago he came within a close margin of being elected governor of the Pine Tree State.

A little less than a year ago, when Senator Frye, who had represented Maine in the senate for thirty years, died, Governor Plaisted honored Mr. Gardner and recognized the agricultural interests of the country by appointing him to the United States senate, where he has made a most creditable record, devoting particular attention to the welfare of the great rural population of the country. He is now a candidate for re-election and will undoubtedly be successful.

In his address Senator Gardner says: To the Farmers of the United States. Greeting:

Being one of you and for the greater part of my life having been engaged in the practical everyday duties of my own farm, having been for twenty-five years past officially at work through boards of agriculture and the national and state granges, having served four years as second officer of the national grange and as master of the Maine state grange ten years, during which time the order in Maine added 3,545 members and attained a power and influence never held before, I feel I am in a position to speak from the standpoint of one who knows the farmer and his needs, and it is solely because of

THE PEOPLE AND THE CURRENCY.

In dealing with the complicated and difficult question of the reform of our banking and currency laws it is plain that we ought to consult very many persons besides the bankers, not because we distrust the bankers, but because they do not necessarily comprehend the business of the country, notwithstanding they are indispensable servants of it and may do a vast deal to make it hard or easy. No mere bankers' plan will meet the requirements, no matter how honestly conceived. It should be a merchants and farmers' plan as well, elastic in the hands of those who use it as an indispensable part of their daily business. From Woodrow Wilson's Speech Accepting the Democratic Nomination.

this that I am prompted to address you. For years farmers have justly complained of being required to pull at the short end of the yoke because of unfair and unjust discriminations in legislation and transportation, and at the present time the farmers are charged with being the cause of the high cost of living when as a matter of fact, taken collectively, the amount invested in their business, the hours devoted to hard labor and everything connected with the details of agricultural life—they are, as a whole, the poorest paid class of people in this country while relatively the most important.

During all recent years farmers have been told what a great blessing has been theirs through the so called protective tariff, and yet to find a market for their principal crops they have had to compete in the markets of the world where the price is fixed. But suddenly it is discovered that the farmer is the sole cause for the high cost of living, and what happens? The president (Mr. Taft) with a total disregard for the interests of the farmers, submits a plan to open up to competition with the farmers of the United States the products of Canada while being careful to preserve the tariff or, more correctly speaking, the tax on all the farmer has to buy, which as clearly as anything can expose the hypocrisy and "humbuggery" of the claim that the tariff is any benefit to agricultural as compared with manufactured products.

Now, the farmers of this country have an opportunity to benefit themselves that has never appeared within my recollection, as the Democratic party has been compelled by the force of public opinion to nominate a man for the presidency who is the best equipped for that high office of any that have been nominated or elected since Lincoln—a man that I speak of from a personal acquaintance with and a knowledge of his fitness; a man of great natural ability, splendidly educated, not theoretically, but practically; a keenness of intellect remarkable for its grasp of every condition with which he is confronted; an indomitable courage to do right, and, above all, a great, broad tendency with and sympathy for all classes. He will make one of the most accessible

presidents ever in the White House and through whom none will be refused a hearing, however humble, nor fail to receive justice at his hands. He is truly a marvelous man, and I wish every person in the United States could know him as I know him. And supplementing all these qualities is the addition that his home is one of perfect balance.

None can meet the splendid Mrs. Wilson and her three refined, cultured daughters with their perfect naturalness but must feel that the whole family of Woodrow Wilson was especially prepared to fill a great need in the present crisis in the history of our country, as were Washington, Jefferson, Jackson and Lincoln, and I would advise the farmers upon my reputation as a man if you want to protect your own interests and those of your families, if you want to render the greatest possible good to your country and future generations, if you want to contribute your part to the end that popular government under God shall not perish from the earth, then see that the Hon. Woodrow Wilson is elected president.

WHAT REPUBLICAN PROSPERITY IS.

What has the result been? Prosperity? Yes; if by prosperity you mean vast wealth, no matter how distributed or whether distributed at all or not; if you mean vast enterprises built up to be presently concentrated under the control of comparatively small bodies of men, who can determine almost at pleasure whether there shall be competition or not. The nation as a nation has grown immensely rich. She is justly proud of her industries and of the genius of her men of affairs. They can master anything they set their minds to, and we have been greatly stimulated under their leadership and command. Their laurels are many and very green. We must accord them the great honors that are their due, and we must preserve what they have built up for us. But what of the other side of the picture? It is not easy for us to live as it used to be. Our money will not buy as much. High wages, even when we can get them, yield us no great comfort. We used to be better off with less; because a dollar could buy so much more. The majority of us have been disturbed to find ourselves growing poorer, even though our earnings were slowly increasing. Prices climb faster than we can push our earnings up.—From Woodrow Wilson's Speech Accepting the Democratic Nomination.

"Wilson and Marshall" looks good, sounds good, is good.

IMPROVED EDUCATIONAL CONDITIONS FROM AN INVESTMENT STANDPOINT.

(By John E. McFerran, Louisville.)

Studying the educational situation in the state, I am more and more impressed with the absolute necessity for a radical change in our viewpoint concerning the subject. We have been viewing the schools rather as a necessary evil, an expense to be kept at the minimum of cost. The logical result has been largely attained—cheap houses, cheap grounds, cheap equipment and in too many cases cheap teachers, cheap trustees, cheap county boards and cheap county superintendents.

In fact, so long has this policy prevailed that we have dwarfed everything pertaining to our schools even our educators, and most of all ourselves, the average citizens. The whole outfit is a cheap and inadequate thing for the twentieth century. Our slipshod and chaotic system, if system it can be called, possibly answered fairly well the needs of forty or fifty years ago, but everything else has moved tremendously within that time and moved with the greatest celerity and momentum.

With our schools here in Kentucky we have practically stood still trusting to luck or some other mysterious power to supplement our indifference and neglect. Not so with other more prosperous and progressive states, fully recognizing the value and importance of their children. With enlightened zeal and intelligence their tendency has been to crowd all the money into their schools that could be judiciously used, looking upon it as a wise, businesslike proposition, a most profitable investment, and so it has proved, states younger and no more favorably situated, with really inferior natural resources, surpassing us in material wealth two and three fold.

Before we can make the needed and desired progress we must get the viewpoint that it is not only our high and holy duty, but most profitable, to see our children and their schools from the investment side and provide generously the financial aid that is imperatively needed.

Furthermore, we must awaken out of our apathy and see that this money is used to the best advantage and not frittered away by incompetence or graft. We have been furnishing two and a half to three million dollars per annum for our schools for a number of years. What number of citizens have at any time taken the slightest interest to know how this money was being expended? There seems to have been great waste. We have allowed the interest of our children to drift into politics and into confusion. It is high time to correct this.

HEALTH HINT FOR TODAY.

Health Epigrams.

A fly in the milk often means a member of the family in the grave. Wire screens in the windows may keep crabs from the door.

Keep flies from the house and you will help keep the doctor from the gate.

Flies in the dining room precede nurses in the sickroom.

The wistful mother screens the baby's cradle and wears a smile; the foolish mother does not and may wear mourning.

A rain barrel full of water—a house full of mosquitoes.

If some persons were as much afraid of flies as they are of bad water there would be less typhoid.

Good water is more to be prized than rubles, and clean hands are better than much fine gold.

The fly has small feet, but a million typhoid germs can ride comfortably on one of them.—Dr. S. J. Crumrine, Secretary, Kansas Board of Health.

REWARD OFFERED.

For the last two seasons we have been unable to get any fruit from our orchard just below Louisa it being taken by unknown parties. We will give \$5.00 as a reward for information that will lead to the conviction of any one entering on our premises and taking fruit of any kind therefrom. In addition to the above it is our intention to have a number of people summoned before the grand jury, and will try to get information from this direction. There are a number of boys from good families who have been ordered off of these lands a number of times, but who persistently refuse to stay away. We request these parents to keep them away. This land is posted.

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BURIED TALENT HELD TO BLAME

Educated People Responsible for the Illiterate.

OPPORTUNITIES NOT REALIZED

In an Awakening Address Delivered by Harry A. Sommers, of the Elizabethtown News Before the Kentucky Educational Association, the People of the Commonwealth Were Forcibly Reminded of a Duty Long Neglected.

At a recent meeting of the Kentucky Educational Association at Louisville, Harry A. Sommers of the Elizabethtown News charged that the educated people of the commonwealth are chiefly responsible for the uneducated and that Kentucky has been asleep for fifty years on the public school situation.

Mr. Sommers spoke in part as follows on the subject of "The Press and the Public School":

I charge that the educated of the commonwealth are chiefly responsible for the uneducated, that the learned are responsible for the illiterate. We have been given talent which we have



HARRY A. SOMMERS.

buried instead of using for our more unfortunate fellow man. We have marvelous opportunities, but we have not realized or accepted the responsibilities which go with the opportunity.

Kentucky, the first state in the South to establish free schools, has been asleep for nearly fifty years on public school education and now wakes to find herself lagging in the rear of most of her sister states in this important matter. We were asleep when we allowed our rural schools to retrograde. We were asleep when we did not keep the school space with the development and growth of the nation. We were asleep when we left the whole matter in the hands of the school teacher and neglected our responsibility to assist him and stand by him. We were asleep when we sent men to the legislature unfit to grapple with this question and most generally indifferent to it.

Thank God we are awake now and before it is too late. Awake and on guard, and, if we as sentinels for education on the watch towers of progress go to sleep until the school house is made a thing of credit instead of a thing of reproach, until the stain of illiteracy is wiped out, we deserve the fate of any sentinel who goes to sleep at his post. A man who does wrong and does not know he has violated the law is not exempt from the penalty, but the man who knowingly violates the law is more culpable. While we were ignorant and indifferent to the lack of advancement in our schools we were nevertheless responsible, but now that we are fully aware of our unfortunate condition we are doubly responsible if we do not respond to it.

The precious jewels of the commonwealth are its children. The future of the state depends upon them and they depend on us. Are we going to polish them with an education to fit them for life's duties and obligations and citizenship, or are we going to allow them to grow up in ignorance to become paupers and criminals? It is a burning question which appeals to manhood, which appeals to intelligence, which appeals to our hearts. Have we heard the cry which comes from the mountains and from the isolated sections all over Kentucky? I, for one, have heard it. It has been ringing in my ears for ten years or more and neither my pen nor voice shall become silent in answering it until every educated man and woman in the state realizes our needs and recognizes the responsibilities. As the aged Hamaker in his camp fires swore the infant Hannibal to eternal hatred for Rome, so I would swear you now by the intelligence which beams in your eyes, by the enthusiasm which runs in your veins and by the love which is in your hearts, to swear an eternal hatred for ignorance and illiteracy until we have wiped it from our borders.

What we need in Kentucky is public sentiment for the public schools.

for laws will not solve it. The feeling is public sentiment. The fact that a child upon the parent's children than upon they ought to be for it than the state.

That the best way to interest in the local school tax and as proof of this, CONLEY, Pa. shown that all the best a local tax and all the work are without it.

Murray Hunt.

That the district trustee should be as much interested in the tax as his teaching as the teacher's and his school. That the school should be as good and as attractive as any home in the district.

That when we know under the new school census where the illiterate children live, it will become the duty of the people of that district to see that these children are sent to school and provide clothing and shoes if the parents are too poor to provide them.

That the teacher should be more commended for what he is able to accomplish and less criticized for what he is unable to do.

That moonlight schools for the adults will pay better than moonshine stills.

That the office of county school superintendent is the most important in the country.

That it is more important to educate all the people some, than a few of the people a great deal.

That we do not need to teach dead languages in a live country except within the walls of a university.

That those things which will be of most value to a boy and girl after they leave school should be the things which should be taught first and best.

That the children's minds should not be puzzled over Greek roots when they do not know the difference between calamus root and poke root.

That the conjugation of the verb "amo" need not be taught in the school because the boys and girls learn it soon enough outside the school.

That the unknown quantities of algebra had better remain unknown than that a boy should remain ignorant of the solid quantities of his father's farm.

That the time spent in making indifferent performances on the piano could be better utilized in abolishing bad biscuits from the breakfast table.

That the public school ought to get in the newspaper and the newspaper in the public school.

While you may not agree with me in all of these things, you will certainly agree with me in most of them. The question is how are we going to create this public sentiment.

The school teacher is powerless to do it even when he does his best. He is handicapped by the very nature of the case. We must look to the educated people of this state. Men and women who will give their time and talent and means to create a better sentiment for the rural schools, and we must look to the press.

The newspaper and the public schools are the two greatest forces at work in this country for both progress and enlightenment.

The newspapers' influence depends upon the number of readers it has and the number of readers depends on how many people are taught to read. There must be a combination between the press and the professor; a united interest between the newspaper and the public school. If the press of this state would give half the thought and half the space to education that it does to politics the schools would be revolutionized in less than a decade. The press must first be made interested in this great question, then it must be educated to the needs of the schools, then shown how the needs may be supplied. The editor and the school teacher must be brought within closer touch with each other. This should be done through this organization.

Mind you, I am not talking about a movement through the press for the benefit of the teachers, but a movement for the benefit of the people. The school must be made the important thing and not the school teacher. The children's interest must be put in the forefront as the battle cry through the press for their welfare, and the welfare of the state. All great enterprises get before the public with the news bureau and there is no enterprise as great as the education of the masses. Most enterprises pay for publicity, but this is one of which the newspapers will require no pay. If they intend to take real newspaper talent to conduct any kind of publicity bureau, it requires the talent of first interesting the reader with what it tells, next it must do more than interest it. It should get the reader in sympathy with the story, then it must so take hold of him that he wants a part in it. There should be selected a most capable man or woman with proper newspaper instinct to send a column once a week to every newspaper in Kentucky of such live public school as the editor will be glad to place it. The information should be gathered from the various schools and sent to the head of their bureau. It should be facts and not arguments. The facts can be so written that they will carry their own argument and also carry convictions. Such an educational press bureau established in this city or Frankfort could and would arouse more interest and create more public sentiment for the rural schools than any other one thing could do, because every week it would have a thousand times as large an audience as this building will hold. With the press willing to help, I do hope such an opportunity will not be allowed to escape.

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PEACH ORCHARD.

The school improvements league will have an entertainment known as an "Old maid's supper" Saturday night Sept. 7th. Everybody is cordially invited.

Walter Talbert, who has been to Kewanee on an extended business trip returned home last week.

Mrs. A. T. Wilbur, of Richardson was visiting relatives here last week.

W. S. Martin our Sunday school Supt. was called to Mills to organize Sunday school.

Goldie, Maggie and Walter Wilson and Aluna Cassel, accompanied by their teacher Amos Cordle attended the teacher's association at Gallup last Saturday and reported an excellent time.

R. B. Williams, of Paintsville, who has been employed here for some time will return to his home soon to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Talbert were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wilbur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Vaughan were the guests of relatives at Torchlight Saturday and Sunday.

Drew Martin spent Sunday last in Louisa.

Clell Vaughan was in our town Saturday.

Mrs. Emeline Salyer, of Richardson, who has been spending a few days with her son here has returned home.

K. B. Williams, of Paintsville made a business trip home Monday and every one was pleased to hear that his wife who is ill with typhoid fever is some what improved.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson were visiting home folks at Walbridge recently.

Mrs. Nannie Perry spent the latter part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Dot Fannin.

R. B. Williams was calling on Goldie Wilson Sunday.

MORE THAN ONE.

ROVE CREEK.

School is progressing nicely at this place.

Carlos Lambert was visiting home folks Saturday and Sunday.

Ed. Stewart and Barney Vanhorn returned to their work at Kenova Sunday.

Drusla and Anna Vanhorn were visiting Gusie Copley Sunday.

Minnie Bryan went to Catlettshurg Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Stewart was visiting her mother at Hubbardstown last week.

Sarah and Carrie Vaahorn were visiting Lucy Powell Sunday.

Cella Stewart and Mary Stump attended Sunday school at Buchanan chapel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Burke, of West Virginia are visiting relatives at this place.

There will be an ice cream supper at Rove creek school house Saturday night Sept. 7th, for the benefit of the school. Everybody invited to come.

GUESS WHO.

FALLSBURG.

Sunday school at this place every Sunday morning 9:30.

Mrs. Lillie Webb and daughters Lula and Allie spent Sunday with Mrs. Ja Collinsworth.

John Cooksey is visiting home folks.

Louis McGlothea was the guest of Miss Mattie Cooksey Sunday.

Cal Maynard was visiting Miss Ida Savage Sunday.

Carson Elie and Jay McGlothea were calling on Miss Beale and Pluma Collinsworth Sunday.

Chris Crank and wife are visiting home folks at this place.

Josep Hine Cooksey has returned home after a visit to her brother at Van Lear.

Miss Olga Savage is visiting relatives at East Fork.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Casey and left a fine boy.

Miss Gusie Frasher was calling on Miss Irene Carter Saturday evening.

Thomas Worley, of Ashland spent Saturday night with home folks at this place.

A FRIEND.

FITS SOME HERE.

Just why a bright young man with plenty of sense will haag to the cigarette habit when he knows better is more than we can tell. It is a sad sight to watch the crowd in front of the church at the close of a Sunday night's meeting, when fifteen or twenty of the nearest young men of the neighborhood proceed to light up their cigarettes. It is a filthy, unhealthy habit that is wasteful of time and money and helps to ruin the future of the young man who practices it. Young man; brace up and quit the habit.—Owenton Democrat.

An Ad. in the News Brings Results.

OUR SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Div. 6. Sub-Dist. 9. This school has enrolled in census report 65. I think every child between the ages of 6 and 12 have enrolled. There is, and has been for some time, an epidemic of scarlet rash, which has cut down the attendance I have enrolled 48. Am still teaching by contrast as well as companion.

C. B. STUART, teacher.

Div. 3. Sub-Dist. 8. I held the monthly examination and the following are the grades:

Div. 5. Tennie Skaggs 91, Pearl Morris 86, Herbert Hewlett 89, Henry Carter 88, Russ Cordle 91, Elsie Salyer 85, Custman Cordle 91, Frank Burton 91, Zona Carter 94, Grace Moore 91, Oma Adams 93.

Div. 4. Walter Salyer 87, Esther Evans 87, Ella Hewlett 89, Della Carter 87, Stella Carter 87, David Morris 85, Mary Skaggs 88, Lillie Salyer 88, Luther Terry 84, Lucy Morris 85, Lillie Cordle 86, Jesse Cordle 88, John Moore 82, Neale Moore 85.

LUTHER BURTON, teacher.

Ed. Div. 4. Sub-Dist. 1. My average attendance for the past month was 48. Have 54 enrolled.

Held my examination Friday Aug. 9, with results as follows:

Grade 3. John Chandler 72, Joe May 74, Geneva Sanders 76, Charley Sanders 75.

Fifth Grade. Ruth Moore 85, Luther Ward 72, Lem Grahnm 79, Roy Chandler 72, Delbert McGuire 77, Willie B. Chandler 82, Roscoe Sanders 82, George May 70, Halley Bishop 77, Selsus Chandler 75, Hazel Griffith 79, Herma Griffith 83.

NORA THOMPSON, teacher.

Amos Cordle reports that on the first Saturday night in Sept. the school improvement League of Peach Orchard will give an entertainment entitled Old Maids Supper. A small admission fee will be charged and everybody is invited to come.

Div. 5. Sub-Dist. 4.

Oliver Shannon 94, Onolda Shannon 93 1-2, Delfie Shanaan 93 5-12

Seventh Grade. Lee Shannoa 83 1-12, Luca Shannon 76 1-13.

Fifth Grade. Highest, Sarah Belle Cox 83 3-11

Fourth Grade. Sherman Shannon 82 1-3.

Third Grade. Lucille McClure 80.

Second Grade. Riley Shannon 84 4-7.

First Grade. Hohart Daniel 87 1-6.

DAVID ADAMS, teacher.

Report of Ed. Div. 5. Sub-Dist. 5. No. pupils in census report 82. No. enrolled during 1st month 65. Average daily attendance for month 59.

The following received the highest grades on the 1st month examination.

Fifth Grade. Arnold Childers 66.

Seventh Grade. Tom Klao 82.

LONDON BURGESS, teacher.

Div. 5. Sub-Dist. 8.

Those receiving the highest grades for the first month were:

Grade 1. Willie Bome and Melle Hughes.

Grade 2. Willard Conn and Monroe Hughes.

Grade 3. Kathleen Holt and Kathleen Roberts.

Grade 5. Hazel Roberts and Gertrude Pigg.

Grade 7. Lillian Roberts and Leonard Muncy.

I have enrolled 41 pupils in school and the average attendance for the month was 32.

The proceeds of a pie mite \$5.50 will be spent for books for our school library.

NORA ROBERTS, teacher.

Ed. Div. 5. Sub-Dist. 11. Result of examination held Friday August 9. Seventh and Eighth Grades.

Dora Johns 92, Minnie Burchett 91, Blanche Burchett 89, Rosa Starr 76, Ebon Taylor 76, Eva Burchett 85, Henry Carter 86, Marie Muncy 85.

Fifth Grade. Martin McDowell 84, Ray Burchett 89, Riley Burchett 85, Tennie Starr 70, Martha Carter 71, Laurence Muncy 86, Ira Carter 73, Murphy Clark 71, Emma Starr 74, Billie Starr 69.

GYPSY BURCHETT, teacher.

Div. 6. Sub-Dist. 1. The following results were obtained from the examination held at the end of the first month:

Grade Seven. Roscoe Prince 84, Arlio Burton 81, Willie Burton 77, McKinley Ball

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61, Hubert Ball 66, Mattie Barton 74.

Grade Five. Bessie Prince 71, Willie Belle Roberts 70, Willie Ann McComie 79, Elbert Pack, 48, Cosby Webb 60, Teddy Webb 51, Ella Roberts 43, Gusie Jordan 48, Marthin Moore 48.

E. T. HOLTON, teacher.

Div. 6. Sub-Dist. 4. Result of first month examination:

Seventh Grade. Sophia Rice 87 1-7, Ella Jobe 83 3-7, Maud Jobe 83 3-7.

Fifth Grade. Willie Hughes 82 7-12 Virgel Rice 78, Birdie Jobe 83 5-6. Goldie Hughes 79 5-6.

MAY FOSTER, teacher.

Report of Ed. Div. 6. Sub-Dist. 5. First month's examination was held Aug. 9th.

Grade Seven. Hovie Plakerton 94 4-9, Belva McKlaney 92 2-3, Mae Chaffin 90, Doshia Dalton 88.

Grade Five. Ida Chaffin 83 3-8, Gracie Hammond 83 3-8.

A pie social has been held for the benefit of the school. The money was spent for books and other requirements of the school. Attendance is good the average for first month being 46.

BERTHA THOMPSON, teacher.

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